GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:208
ANSWERED ON:09.08.2010
HOARDING OF SPECTRUM
Munda Shri Arjun

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether some of the telecom companies were alleged to be involved in hoarding of spectrum in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the names of companies found involved during the last three years and the current year; and

(c) the steps taken/being taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY(SHRI A. RAJA)

(a) to (c) A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT TO BE LAID ON THE TABLE OF THE LOK SABHA IN RESPECT OF PARTS (a) TO (c) OF THE LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 208 FOR 9TH AUGUST, 2010 REGARDING "HOARDING OF SEPCTRUM"

(a) No, Madam. Initial spectrum is allotted to the mobile telecom companies as per the provisions of service license agreement subject to availability. Additional spectrum beyond initial spectrum is allotted as per guidelines/order/criteria in force at the time of such allotment subject to availability.

(b) & (c) Does not arise in view of (a) above.